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**Sent:** Saturday, August 01, 2015 1:12 PM  
**To:** SED-Gas Section-South; SED-Gas Section-North; SED-Electric & Communication-South; SED-Electric & Communication-North; Beck, Valerie; TerKeurst, Charlotte  
**Subject:** FW: Electric Safety Incident Reported - Incident No: 150801-7888  
**Categories:** Incidents

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From: [webmaster@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:webmaster@cpuc.ca.gov)  
Sent: Saturday, August 01, 2015 1:11:58 PM (UTC-08:00) Pacific Time (US & Canada)  
To: USRB  
Cc: [paul.pimentel@sce.com](mailto:paul.pimentel@sce.com)  
Subject: Electric Safety Incident Reported - Incident No: 150801-7888

**The Following information regarding this incident has been reported:**

**Reporting Date:** 8/1/2015 12:55:18 PM  
**Incident Date:** 8/1/2015 @ 9:36 a.m.  
**Reported By:** Paul C. Pimentel, Investigations Manager  
**Utility Name:** Southern California Edison Company  
**Phone Number:** 626-695-4705  
**Email Address:** [paul.pimentel@sce.com](mailto:paul.pimentel@sce.com)

**Incident Location:** Near Desert Knoll/Valley Vista Twenty-Nine Palms, San Bernardino County

**Reasons For Reporting:**

- Fatalities? No (Utility: 0, Others: 0)
- Names of Fatalities:
- Injuries? Yes (Utility: 0, Others: 2)
- Names of Injured: Unknown
- Damage? No (Utility: 0, Others: 0)
- Interruption? No (Total Customers: 0, Total Hours: 0)
- Operator Judgement? No
- Media Coverage? No

**Cause of Incident:** Unknown (Other Cause: )

**DigIn Information (if applicable):**

- Excavator Name:
- Contact:
- Phone:

**Agencies on Scene:**

**Facilities Affected:**

- Utility's Facilities: North Adobe
- Voltage (KV): 12 kV
- Customer's Facility:

**Incident Recovery:**

- On Scene Date & Time: @ 00:00 a.m.
- Service Restored (Date & Time): @ 00:00 a.m.

**Summary:** SCE submits this report as the subject incident may involve a fatality or personal injury rising to the level of in-patient hospitalization. Preliminary information indicates two unidentified male individuals were riding motorcycles and contacted overhead electrical facilities and sustained injuries. It was reported that one of the subjects was airlifted from the scene to REDACTED and the other was transported from the site via ambulance to REDACTED. At this time the nature and extent of the injuries are unknown. Our information indicates the North Adobe 12 kV circuit out of Twenty-Nine Palms Substation relayed and locked-out beyond RAR 0256 at 9:36 a.m. The investigation into the incident is on-going.